



Docket: 71616

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Bonner

Serial No.: 10/663,856

Group Art Unit: 1732

Filed: September 16, 2003

Examiner: Edmund H. Lee

For: DIRECT COUPLING OF MELT POLYMERIZATION AND SOLID STATE
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Mail Stop Amendment
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS	(1) FOR	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(3) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(4) NUMBER EXTRA	(5) RATE	(6) CALCULATIONS
	TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))	48 -	18 =	30	X \$50 =	1,500
	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))	3 -	1 =	2	X \$200 =	400
	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) (37 CFR 1.16(d))				+ \$360 =	0
	TOTAL to be CHARGED =					\$1,900

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 05-0221. Any submission during prosecution which requires an extension of time should be treated as including a Petition for the required extension and be charged to Deposit Account No. 05-0221. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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AMENDMENT

In Response to the Office Action mailed on November 13, 2005, Applicants request entry of the following amendments and favorable reconsideration of the claims in view of the remarks which follow. A Petition for a three (3) month Extension of Time, along with authorization to charge Deposit Account Number 05-0221, for entry of this Amendment, is filed concurrent herewith.

A listing of the Claims follows on page 2.

A listing of the Remarks follows on page 8.

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